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Executive Department, Nebraska Territory.
DECEMBER 20TH, 1854.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that for the purpose of administering Justice in the Territory of Nebraska, Judges of Probate, Justices of the Peace, Sheriffs, Constables, and Clerks of the Court have this day been designated, for the several counties; and that the compensation of said officers will be by fees, corresponding to the schedule of fees instituted in the code of the State of Iowa.

And it is furthermore made public, by this Proclamation, that, in pursuance of the organic law, three Judicial Districts have been constituted, in and for the Territory of Nebraska, in each of which a District Court will be held

Hon. FENNER FERGUSON, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, is hereby assigned to the First Judicial District, embracing the counties of Douglas and Dodge; Hon. EDWARD R. HARDIN, Assistant Justice Supreme Court, to the Second Judicial District, embracing all that portion of the Territory lying South of the Platte River; and Hon. JAMES BRADLEY, Assistant Justice Supreme Court, to the Third Judicial District, embracing the counties of Washington and Burt.

A term of the Supreme Court will be held at the Seat of Government, commencing on the third Monday in February next.

A term of the District Court will be held in the First Judicial District, at Belieview, Douglas county, commencing on the second Monday in March next; in the Second Judicial District, at Nebraska City, Pierce county, commencing on the third Monday in March next; and in the Third Judicial District, at Florence, Washington county, commencing on the first Monday in April next; and, thereafter, the times and places of holding said courts will be regulated by the General Assembly.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and caused to be affixed

THE GREAT SEAL OF THE TERRITORY.

Done at Omaha City, this 20th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty four, of the Independence of the United States, the seventy-eighth, and of this Territory the first.

THOMAS B. CUMING,

Acting Governor of the Territory of Nebraska.

I certify that the foregoing is a true copy from the official records of this Territory

T. B. Cuming

Secretary's Office
Nebraska Territory
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